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EFFECT CONTROL DEVICE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Before examination of the above-identified patent application please preliminarily amend the same so as to comport with the new formatting requirements as set forth in 37 CFR section 1.52. To that end, included herewith is a substitute specification that has been reformatted, accordingly. No new matter has been introduced into the substitute patent application. Applicant respectfully requests that the application be forwarded to examination in due course.

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